

Recreation Workers (39-9032)

Occupation description: Conduct recreation activities with groups in public, private, or volunteer agencies or recreation facilities. Organize and promote activities, such as arts and crafts, sports, games, music, dramatics, social recreation, camping, and hobbies, taking into account the needs and interests of individual members.

Employment and Job Openings

	Average employment			Average annual openings		
	2010 estimate	2020 projection	Percent change	Growth	Replacement	Total
Alaska	771	847	9.9	8	12	20
United States	339,100	403,400	19.0	6,440	5,420	11,860

Job outlook

Alaska: Alaska's employment growth is low with high employment opportunities. [Read more.](#)

2013 Wages ?

	Mean Wage and 95% Confidence Interval			Wage by Percentile		
	Low	Mean	High	10th	Median	90th
United States	n/a	12.29	n/a	8.17	10.76	18.70
Alaska	16.92	17.87	18.82	9.92	16.84	27.77
Anchorage/Mat-Su Area (MSA)	17.73	18.92	20.11	11.37	17.21	31.16
Fairbanks North Star Borough (MSA)	14.76	19.65	24.54	8.56	20.10	34.17
Southeast Region	14.70	17.11	19.52	10.13	17.07	22.55
Balance of State	15.26	16.45	17.64	10.08	16.25	22.23

Labor Force Indicators

2012 Worker Characteristics

Total workers	Nonresident workers	Percent nonresident	Percent age 45 plus	Percent age 50 plus
1,122	357	31.8	21.8	17.7

2012 Potential Supply

Qualified but working in another occupation	381
Currently employed in a lower paid occupation	40
UI claimants previously working in occupation	68

2012 ALEXsys Employment Data

Number of registrants	567
Number of job position postings	154

Ratio of registrants to job position postings

3.7

Typical Entry-level Education, Experience, and/or On-the-job Training

Education: Bachelor's degree

Work experience: None

On-the-job training: None

Training Resources

	Degree
Amundsen Education Center	
Tourism Industry Job Skills Program	

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